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>>Entry Name: Manganese hypophosphite

Synonym(s): Manganese(II) hydrogen phosphite. Manganese phosphinate

CAS Registry Number: 10043-84-2

$\text{Mn}(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_2)_2$

Molecular Formula:  $\text{H}_4\text{MnO}_4\text{P}_2$

Molecular Weight: 184.915

Accurate Mass: 184.896531

Percentage Composition: H 2.18%; Mn 29.71%; O 34.61%; P 33.50%

Use/Importance: Heat and light stabilizer for polyamide fibres

Physical Description: Pale pink granules or powder

>>Derivative: Monohydrate

CAS Registry Number: 7783-16-6

Molecular Formula:  $\text{H}_6\text{MnO}_5\text{P}_2$

Molecular Weight: 202.93

Accurate Mass: 202.907096

Percentage Composition: H 2.98%; Mn 27.07%; O 39.42%; P 30.53%

Source/Synthesis: Synth. from  $\text{Ba}(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_2)_2 + \text{MnSO}_4$

Physical Description: Pink cryst.

Other Data: Stable to 250°

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